The Police in Delhi is well sensitized, and as and when any such crime is reported, appropriate action is taken as per law. Various initiatives have been undertaken to curb the incidence of crimes against women which are as follow:

(i) Parivartan scheme involving door step contact with vulnerable women by women Constables.

(ii) Anti Obscene Calls Cell with a dedicated help line and toll free No. 1098.

(iii) Gender Sensitization of Police personnel.

(iv) Self-Defence Training.

(v) Rape Crisis Intervention Centres.

Financial and moral support to Maoists and other extremist groups

653. SHRI P. RAJEEVE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any data for the number of violent incidents occurred in the past one year in various States in India;

(b) out of this how many were incidents of communal riots and how many Maoists or other naxalite attacks;

(c) whether Government has any data regarding the financial and moral support to the Maoist/other extremist groups from both inside and outside India;

(d) the factors leading to the people those who are engaged in extremist activities especially in tribal areas;

(e) whether Government has taken comprehensive measures to end the activities of such outfits; and

(f) if so, the details of the steps taken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN) : (a) and (b) While the Central Government maintains data about the number of violent incidents in the States affected by Left Wing Extremism and militancy/insurgency in Jammu and Kashmir and North Eastern States, data about all violent incidents occurring in various States is not Centrally maintained. In the current year upto 31 Oct 2009, there were 1817 incidents of naxalite violence and 726 communal incidents.

(c) Government is aware that naxalites raise resources by way of extortions and so called "levies" from contractors and other in certain areas.

(d) The naxalites try to exploit the perceived grievances of the people particularly in the backward and remote regions. They attack the police forces and other institutions of governance as well as key economic and social infrastructure and do not allow development activities to take place to create support base for themselves.

(e) and (f) The Central Government assists efforts of the State Governments to deal with naxalites. These include deployment of Central paramilitary forces (CPMFs); sanction of India Reserve (IR) battalions, modernization and upgradation of the State Police and their Intelligence apparatus under the Scheme for Modernization of State Police Forces (MPF scheme); re-imbursement of security-related expenditure under the Security Related Expenditure (SRE) Scheme; assistance in training of State police through Ministry of Defence, Central Police Organization and Bureau of Police Research and Development; sharing of Intelligence and assistance in development works through a range of schemes of different Central Ministries.

The CPI (Maoist), which is the major Left Wing Extremist organization responsible for most of the incidents and casualties of naxal violence has been included in the schedule of terrorist organizations along with all its formations and front organizations on 22nd June, 2009, under the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967.

North-east militant outfits using Chinese arms

654. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that various northeast militant outfits are using Chinese arms and ammunition;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps being taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN) : (a) and (b) There is no specific inputs in this regard. However, some inputs suggest that insurgents outfits operating in North Eastern States of India have procured weapons through arms smugglers located in South East Asia and in Yunnan Province of China.

(c) The border guarding forces have been suitably sensitized from time to time. Our concerns over reports of smuggling of arms through the territory of Bangladesh and Myanmar are regularly taken up in various bilateral forum.

Phasing out CRPF from key positions in J & K

655. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the top officials have expressed their reservation to Government proposal to phase out the CRPF from key positions in Jammu and Kashmir and handover the primary duty to the State police; and

(b) if so, whether Government is falling in the trap of anti-India forces working hard to reduce the vigil in the State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN) : (a) There is no proposal to phase out the CRPF from Jammu and Kashmir. The process of relocation of forces is linked with prevailing security situation in the State.